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GUIDED MISSILE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE

7 March 1956

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chairman, Economic Defense Intelligence Committee

SUBJECT : Establishment of Guided Missile Intelligence Committee

1. Pursuant to action taken by the Intelligence Advisory Committee at its meeting on 31 January 1956, there has been established a Guided Missile Intelligence Committee with responsibilities as prescribed in IAC-D-81/14, 31 January 1956, FINAL, attached as TAB A.

2. At the Intelligence Advisory Committee meeting, 31 January 1956, I was designated Chairman of the Guided Missile Intelligence Committee. The complete membership list of the Committee is attached as TAB B for your information. The Secretariat for the Committee has been provided by the Central Intelligence Agency and will be located with me in the Pentagon, Room 2B935.

3. The Committee recognizes the need for providing accurate and timely guided missile intelligence for integration into our national intelligence effort, and will endeavor to accomplish effective working relationships and coordination with other committees of the Intelligence Advisory Committee. I plan to keep you informed of our actions and decisions and enlist your cooperation.

4. I am planning to confer with each IAC Subcommittee Chairman in the near future to discuss mutual plans and methods of operation. It is my intent that the Guided Missile Intelligence Committee shall assist and cooperate with each of you, whenever needed, to provide for an effective solution to mutual problems.

GEORGE H. WILSON
Lt. Col., USAF
Chairman

Attachments:
Tabs A and B

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chairman, Guided Missile Intelligence Committee

SUBJECT: Cooperation Between Guided Missile Intelligence Committee and Economic Defense Intelligence Committee

1. Thank you for your memorandum of 7 March 1956 regarding the establishment of the Guided Missile Intelligence Committee. The Economic Defense Intelligence Committee will be pleased to cooperate fully with your Committee in such areas as are common to our respective responsibilities.

2. The Economic Defense Intelligence Committee is charged with providing intelligence for policy and operations relating to the economic defense programs of the United States. There are several aspects of our program which may be of interest to you and in which cooperation between our Committees may be productive.

3. The Economic Defense Intelligence Committee has recently proposed a more systematic identification of commodities now available for export to the Soviet Bloc which have substantially increased in strategic importance because of new scientific and technological developments. It is to be expected that a number of such developments will relate to the field of guided missiles. Because of its interest in new strategic uses, the Economic Defense Intelligence Committee has established a Working Group on Propellants and Fuel Additives. This Working Group will make use of guided missile intelligence within the scope of its special responsibilities, and may wish to call upon the Guided Missile Intelligence Committee from time to time for assistance in coordinating its intelligence production efforts.

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Chairman
Economic Defense Intelligence Committee

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